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IN RE APPLICATION OF

Group Art Unit: 1617

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Examiner: B. P. Badio

APPLICATION NO: 10/750,810

FILED: DECEMBER 31, 2003

FOR: MICROBICIDAL ACTIVE SUBSTANCES

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the Office Action dated September 22, 2005, finally rejecting claims 18 and 19.

- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 03-1935 in the amount of \$500.00 for payment of appeal fee. Two additional copies of this paper are here enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 03-1935.
- ☒ Enclosed is a Petition for Extension of Time.

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